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#### **Education**

2000 University of Arizona, B.A. Anthropology and Creative Writing 2005 Arizona State University, M.A. Anthropology (Archaeology) 2013 Arizona State University, Ph.D. Anthropology (Archaeology)

## **Professional Employment and Appointments**

2019-Present. cyberSW Manager, Archaeology Southwest.

2017-2019. Assistant Research Professor, Arizona State University, Research Computing. 2013-2017. Postdoctoral Researcher, Arizona State University, Center for Social Dynamics and Complexity.

## **Most Relevant Publications/Products**

- Coccia, Mario and **Joshua Watts** (2020) A Theory of the Evolution of Technology: *Technological Parasitism* and the Implications for Innovation Management. *Journal of Engineering and Technology Management*. 55 [101552].
- **Watts, Joshua**, Rebecca E. Morss, C. Michael Barton, and Julie L. Demuth (2019) Conceptualizing and implementing an agent-based model of information flow and decision making during hurricane threats. *Environmental Modelling and Software*. 122 [104524].
- **Watts, Joshua**, and A. Ossa (2016) Network Topologies and ABM Simulations: Modeling Economies of the Sedentary Period Hohokam. *American Antiquity* 81(4):623-44.
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- **Watts, Joshua** (2013) Traces of the Individual in Prehistory: Flintknappers and the Distribution of Projectile Points in the Eastern Tonto Basin, Arizona. *Advances in Archaeological Practice: A Journal of the Society for American Archaeology* 1(1):25-36.

# **Additional Publications/Products**

- **J. Watts** (2019) CHIME ABM Hurricane Evacuation Model. *CoMSES Computational Model Library*. Retrieved from: https://www.comses.net/codebases/5504/releases/1.4.0/
- R. Morss, J. Demuth, H. Lazrus, L. Palen, C.M. Barton, C. Davis, C. Snyder, O. Wilhelmi, K. Anderson, D. Ahijevych, J. Anderson, M. Bica, K. Fossel, J. Henderson, M. Kogan, K. Stowe, and **J. Watts** (2018) Hazardous Weather Prediction and Communication in the Modern Information Environment. *Bulletin of the American Meteorological Society*.
- A. D. Lack, S. E. Kelly, D. R. Abbott, **J. Watts**, and P. Cox (2011) Identifying and Charting the Rise of Specialized Red-on-Buff Production along Queen Creek, Phoenix Basin. *Journal of Arizona Archaeology*. 2(1): 37-50.

D. R. Abbott and **J. Watts**. (2010) Identical Rock Types with Different Chemistry: Sourcing Phyllite-Tempered Hohokam Pottery from the Phoenix Basin, Arizona. *Journal of Archaeological Science* 37(7): 1612-1622.

## **Synergistic Activities**

- 1) 2010-present. Various roles on the Arizona Governor's Archaeological Advisory Commission, Arizona Archaeological Council.
- 2) 2017-present. Development of methods and tools for using agent-based models in high-performance computing contexts.

### **Current/Pending NSF or NEH support:**

- Transforming cyberSW: A Digital Indigenous Field Guide of Plants and Animals in the U.S. Southwest (in prep to submit January 2024 to NEH DHAG).
- HNDS-R: Human Networks, Sustainable Development, and Lived Experience in a Nonindustrial Society (NSF awarded 2022 w/ Scott Ortman CU Boulder as lead).
- HNDS-I: From Households to Landscapes: Cyberinfrastructure for Deep Time Network Analyses in the Pre-Hispanic Southwest (NSF awarded 2021 w/ Jeff Clark Archaeology Southwest as lead).

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